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In re Application of  
Serial No.  
Filing Date  
Title

LIN, FENG  
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August 3, 2001  
Method to Improve the Efficiency of  
Synchronous Mirror Delays and Delay Locked  
Loop  
NGUYEN, MINH T.  
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Dear Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed October 21, 2002. The

Applicant responds as follows:

**STATUS OF CLAIMS**

Claims 1-75 are currently pending.

**RESTRICTION**

The Examiner has restricted the claims in the above-identified application into the following groups:

- Group I: Claims 1-30 and 34;  
Group II: Claims 31-33, 35-38 and 69-71; and

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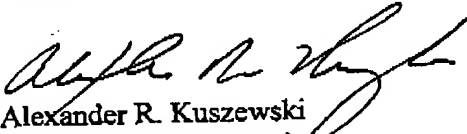
ELECTION

In response thereto, the Applicant hereby elects for prosecution on the merits the claims of Group I (i.e., Claims 1-30 and 34).

This election is not made for any prior art purpose, nor any reason related to patentability.

Entry of this election and speedy examination and allowance of the elected claims is earnestly requested. The Examiner is invited to call the Applicants' attorney at (414) 223-5054 in the event that such communication would facilitate examination of the application.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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